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Julia,  
Thanks for the inquiry. I'm looping in my colleague Pamela Janifer who has the lead on this issue.  
Please let me now if you have any additional questions. Best,  
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Hi Sven,

I was wondering if EPA had reviewed the USGS Pavillion water sampling reports that are referred to below? Is there anyone at EPA who could chat with me about the reports' findings and what they mean?

Also, the reports indicate that EPA took some samples at these wells in addition to USGS. I was wondering if EPA would be fingerprinting the gas found in the samples? Is there an expected release date

for EPA's report on these recent Pavillion samples?

Thanks!

Regards,

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The U.S. Geological Survey has released two reports on groundwater-quality sampling and other data from two monitoring wells near Pavillion, Wyo., where concerns have arisen about pollution possibly related to fracking. "While USGS did not interpret the data as part of this sampling effort, the raw data results are adding to the body of knowledge to support informed decisions," David Mott, director of the USGS Wyoming Water Science Center, said in a statement.

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